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Applicant : Rolf E. Carlson  
 App. No : 09/698,507  
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 For : CRYPTOGRAPHY AND CERTIFICATE  
 AUTHORITIES IN GAMING MACHINES  
 Examiner : Brandon S. Hoffman  
 Art Unit : 2136

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September 19, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

- (X) Enclosed:  
 (X) Amendment/Reply in 19 pages.  
 (X) Return Postcard.

2. Fees:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		2801 (\$395)		\$395
Total Claims	70 - 71 = *	2202 (\$25)	0 x 25 =	\$0
Independent Claims	8 - 8 = *	2201 (\$100)	0 x 100 =	\$0
Multiple Claim		2203 (\$180)		\$0
1 Month Extension		2251 (\$60)		\$60
			<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>	<b>\$455</b>

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395.00 DP  
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(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

3. Payment:

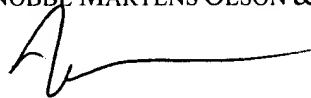
(X) Check in the amount of \$455 to cover the above fees.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

4. Other Enclosures:

(X) Return Postcard.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP



Dated: September 19, 2006

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